Annual Report

OF THE

Town Officers

1913

Croydon, New Hampshire

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ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

SELECTMEN

AND OTHER

TOWN OFFICERS

OF

CROYDON, N. H.

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1913

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Selectmen's Report

INVENTORY OF THE TOWN, APRIL 1, 1912

Polls	105	$ 10,500
Real Estate		230,815
Horses	152	12,540
Oxen	34	2,765
Cows	215	8,490
Other neat stock	76	1,637
Sheep	254	1,054
Hogs	19	199
Buffaloes	61	6,100
Automobiles	2	1,500
Wood and lumber		3,368
Bank stock		5,060
Money at interest		8,096
Stock in trade		9,170
		$301,294

SCHOOL MONEY

William H. Hall	$268 17
DeWitt C. Barton	350 00
In Newport Savings Bank	450 00
	$1,068 17

Receipts and Credits

Savings bank tax	$185 50
Literary fund	35 36
County of Sullivan	220 69
Dog licenses	61 20
Primary election fees	4 00
State of New Hampshire, bounty on hedgehogs	46 40
" for forest fires	18 00
Georgianna Haywood, interest on school note	27 00
W. H. Hall, "	16 09
DeWitt C. Barton, "	21 00
Use of the town hall	5 50
Balance in hands of treasurer and collector Feb. 15, 1912	536 14
Amount of taxes delivered collector	5,128 16
	$6,305 04

Disbursements

State tax	$608 00
County tax	569 25

SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS

D. S. Gross, district treasurer, on school fund	$721 05
" " tuitions	122 75
" " text books and supplies	105 20
" " district officers	46 00
	$995 00

OPENING GRAVES

George Angell, four	$8 00
O. J. Staniels, one	2 00
For W. B. Kibbey	2 00
	$12 00

LABOR IN CEMETERIES

George Angell, East Village	$8 00
W. H. Kemp, Winter Hill	1 00
Nathan Russell, Croydon Flat	6 00
" Four Corners	5 00
" Under the Mountain	3 50
" Pinnacle	7 50
" Putnam	3 00
" resetting grave stones	3 00
" care of Whipple lot in Croydon Flat cemetery, 1911 and 1912	4 00
	$41 50
Aid for dependent soldiers and families	$123 95

TOWN CHARGES

A. L. Benway, overseer of poor of Lempster for Elmer Barton and family	$100 99

COUNTY CHARGES

Dr. Claggett, services for John Sanborn	$ 2 50
" " James Leeds	7 50
M. L. Prescott, supplies "	2 86
Chester Barton, care of "	8 00
Dixi Newton, casket and funeral expenses "	20 00
Lovell Drug Co., "	75
DeWitt Barton, board of William Barton 24 weeks	36 00
Chester Barton, " " 13½ "	20 25
Shoes for "	2 00
F. G. Whitney, for Jessie Currier	52 00
E. W. Davis, supplies for James Leeds	5 55
	$157 41

ABATEMENT OF TAXES

James Leeds, 1911	$1 66
Dr. Stone, on horse, 1911	42
Arthur Stone, poll tax, 1911	1 66
Lee Miller, "	1 66
Alvin Smith, " 1912	1 70
Harry C. Ide, on horse, "	43
Charles Winter, poll tax, 1912	1 70
	$9 23

WATERING TROUGHS

J. C. Loverin	$5 00
S. W. Gilman	2 00
	$7 00

BREAKING ROADS THIS WINTER

George Holbritter	$6 00
Ned K. Loverin	4 00
D. S. Rowell	1 22
E. L. Cutting	1 40
	$12 62

BREAKING ROADS LAST WINTER

E. L. Cutting	$13 11
D. S. Rowell	88
H. R. Sanborn	5 20
W. W. Partridge	1 15
George Holbritter	39 01
Earl Davis	7 80
	$67 15

DOG DAMAGE AND EXPENSES

Joe C. Partridge, killing dog	$ 1 50
H. R. Sanborn, damage to sheep	10 00
W. W. Partridge, examination of sheep	1 00
E. W. Davis, " "	1 00
	$13 50

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

R. H. Oldham,	District No. 1	$158 74
George Holbritter,	2 and 6	405 96
E. D. Comings,	3	92 29
H. R. Sanborn,	4	118 47
D. S. Rowell,	5	218 30
M. S. Fletcher,	7	108 16
F. B. Kibbey,		12 00
F. P. Winter		4 20
E. H. Ide, 140 ft. of lumber		2 38
P. D. Sawyer, 2,981 ft. of plank		50 67
F. P. Rowell, tile and cement		33 75
W. W. Partridge, 190 ft. of plank		3 23
J. V. Gunnison, 65 loads of gravel		3 25
Rogers & Robb, 2 shovels and hoe		2 00
" paint and oil for the Flat bridge		5 85
" sieve grate		10 00
J. C. Loverin, dynamite, caps and fuse		37 19
Burke & Blanchard, painting Flat bridge		10 00
		$1,276 44

RAILING

Lewis Holbritter,	3 days' work	$5 25
Joe Partridge,	8 "	14 00
Willis Kemp,	2 "	3 50
Geo. Holbritter,	8½ "	14 88

Harry Frye		$13 41
Perley Burke		13 61
Geo. Holbritter,	14 poles	3 50
E. W. Davis,	32 "	8 00
"	1,893 ft. of lumber @ $18 M, delivered	34 07
Geo. Holbritter,	2,382 " "	42 88
"	495 posts	123 75
2 kegs of spikes		5 50
Nails		73
		$283 08

TOWN OFFICERS

Arthur Haywood, supervisor of check list 1911	$ 4 50
W. H. Kemp, "	19 50
Homer Fletcher, "	19 50
E. W. Davis, selectman	35 00
W. L. Morrison, "	25 00
W. W. Partridge, "	20 00
W. J. Eastman, tax collector	35 00
D. S. Gross, treasurer	15 00
E. W. Davis, overseer of the poor	10 00
S. W. Gilman, town clerk	10 00
Joe C. Partridge, moderator	6 00
Joe C. Partridge, policeman	10 00
S. W. Gilman, auditor	1 00
Arthur Hayward, supervisor of check list	15 00
F. W. Putnam, fire warden	5 00
George Blanchard, ballot clerk	6 00
D. S. Gross, "	6 00
H. R. Sanborn, "	6 00
	$248 50

INCIDENTALS

J. M. Howe, printing town reports	$23 60
E. B. Cutting, damage on highway	30 00
F. W. Putnam, fire warden, for forest fire in N. E. part of town	56 45
Good Roads Machinery Co., blade and supplies for road machine	10 15
K. C. Prescott, services as librarian	6 50
DeWitt C. Barton, putting up voting booth	1 00
H. B. Dukeshire, keeping two transients	2 00
C. M. Rounsevel, list of deeds and mortgages	5 10
Leonard Holbritter, supplies for town hall	2 49
" care of town hall	5 00
C. H. Forehand, housing road machine and snow roller	5 00
E. W. Davis, keeping two transients	2 00
" postage, stationery and express	2 68
O. C. Barton, care of library	4 25
F. O. Chellis, retainer fee and counsel	7 00
Lovell Drug Co., supplies for town	6 60
J. M. Howe, printing check lists	5 50
E. W. Davis, extra time inspecting property, 14 days	35 00
W. L. Morrison, " " 15	37 50
W. W. Partridge, " " 16	40 00
E. W. Davis, trip to Claremont to meet tax commissioners	3 00
W. L. Morrison, " "	3 00
S. W. Gilman, postage and stationery	1 00
" recording births, deaths and marriages	1 20
D. S. Gross, postage and stationery	1 50
" library fund	22 80
J. M. Howe, tax bills	83
W. H. Kemp, time getting check list printed	50
Bounty on 233 hedgehogs	46 60
H. R. Sanborn, note and interest	525 00
	$893 25

RECAPITULATION

State tax	$608 00
County tax	569 25
Support of schools, tuition, officers and supplies	995 00
Opening graves	12 00
Care of cemeteries	41 50
Aid for dependent soldiers and families	123 95
Town charges	100 99
County charges	157 41
Abatement of taxes	9 23
Watering troughs	7 00
Breaking roads this winter	12 62
Breaking roads last winter	67 15
Dog damages and expenses	13 50
Highways and bridges	1,276 44
Railings	283 08
Town officers	248 50
Incidentals	893 25
	$5,418 87

Total receipts and credits for the year	$6,305 04
Total disbursements for the year	5,418 87
Balance in hands of treasurer and collector	$886 17

ASSETS OF THE TOWN

Balance in hands of treasurer and collector	$886 17
Due from the county	88 00
Due from State on hedgehog bounties	4 60
	$978 77

LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN

Due school district on school fund	$611 51
Due on dog licenses	48 70
	$660 21
Balance in favor of the town	$318 56

The foregoing report is respectfully submitted,

EDGAR W. DAVIS,
WILLIAM L. MORRISON,
WILLIAM W. PARTRIDGE,

Selectmen.

Treasurer's Report

Balance from last year		$ 200 97
Rec'd of William J. Eastman, collector		4,750 09
selectmen, interest on school note		64 09
" rent of town hall		5 50
state savings bank tax		185 50
" literary fund		35 36
" one-half expense forest fires		18 00
" bounty on hedgehogs		46 40
County of Sullivan, for pauper claims		160 41
" soldier's aid		60 28
from Town Clerk, dog license fees		60 28
" primary election fees		4 00
		$5,591 80
Total receipts	$5,591 80	
Paid out by order of selectmen	$5,418 87	
Balance in my hands	$172 93	

DANA S. GROSS, Treasurer.

Tax Collector's Report

Amount of 1911 tax book		$3,853 31
Paid D. S. Gross, treasurer	$3,838 46	
Cash in my hands	3 74	3,842 20
Leaving a balance to collect of		$11 11
Amount of 1912 tax book		$5,123 91
Paid D. S. Gross, treasurer	4,429 77	
Cash in my hands	61 20	$4,490 97
Leaving a balance to collect of		$632 94

WILLIAM J. EASTMAN, Collector.

Auditors' Report

This is to certify that we, the undersigned Auditors of the town of Croydon, have examined the accounts of the Treasurer and Selectmen and find them correctly vouched and properly cast.

S. W. GILMAN,
H. D. BARTON,

Auditors.

Surveyors' Report

R. H. OLDHAM, District No. 1

R. H. Oldham	$47 95
George Winter	10 50
W. H. Kemp	17 50
R. J. Oldham	14 87
George Holbritter	24 00
Merton Haywood	7 00
Ned Loverin	4 00
Reed & Buswell	20 00
R. H. Oldham, labor on culvert at Croydon Flat	7 62
W. H. Kemp, " "	6 12
	$159 56

GEORGE HOLBRITTER, District No. 2 and 6

F. W. Putnam, 47 loads of hard-pan	$ 2 35
Gus. Frye, cutting bushes	22 75
George Holbritter, 380ft. of lumber	6 46
Silsby & Johnson, 4 shovels	3 05
" 1 pick	60
G. A. Wright, 2 shovels	1 20
F. B. Kibbey, labor	20 75
Reed & Buswell, "	20 00
Gus. Frye, "	16 62
Leslie Dodge, "	9 63
W. H. Hall, "	10 50
Joe Partridge, "	8 75
Willis Kemp, "	3 50
Chester Barton, "	3 50

Eli Hall,	labor	30 00
George Holbritter,	"	242 43
F. W. Putnam,	"	1 50
Cement		50
W. Merrill, use of lantern		50
George Holbritter, use of plow		1 00
Nails		37
		$405 96

E. D. COMINGS, District No. 3

Charles Barton	$ 7 25
George Holbritter	17 25
P. D. Sawyer	7 00
Reed & Buswell	12 00
E. D. Comings	48 79
	$92 29

H. R. SANBORN, District No. 4

Town of Croydon to H. R. Sanborn, Dr., to labor on highway

W. W. Partridge	$13 30
Wm. Kemp	5 42
E. H. Rollins	10 50
Chas. Armstrong	1 75
George Angell	3 50
George Holbritter	20 00
N. K. Loverin	20 00
H. R. Sanborn	40 50
E. W. Davis	1 00
S. W. Gilman	75
Willis Kemp	1 75
	$118 47

Rec'd pay, H. R. Sanborn.

D. S. ROWELL, District No. 5

D. S. Rowell, with man and teams	$141 47
Geo. T. Crowell	11 81
L. E. Davis	86
Daniel Ryder	8 22
Charles Armstrong	6 13
Lee Miller	8 75
E. L. Cutting	9 00
F. P. Rowell, 12 posts for railing	3 00
Rogers & Robb, spikes	70
F. H. Reed, 1,490 ft. plank and stringers	28 36
	$218 30

M. S. FLETCHER, District No. 7

George Holbritter	$8 00
Reed & Buswell	8 00
" 565 ft. of plank	9 60
Homer Fletcher	32 20
I. Whitson	7 00
W. L. Morrison	84
F. P. Rowell, tile	2 60
M. S. Fletcher	39 92
	$108 16
Receipts	70 00
	$38 16

Town Library Report

Balance from last year	$62 56	
Received from town	22 80	
		$85 36
Paid for labor for re-cataloging	$24 30	
printing cards	2 65	
books	1 50	
supplies	50	28 95
Balance on hand		$56 41

DANA S. GROSS, Treasurer.

School Treasurer's Report

Receipts

Balance from last year	$ 6 15
Received by orders of selectmen	995 00
	$1001 15

Disbursements

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Helen L. Barton, 3 terms in Division No. 2	$279 00
Annie B. Cutting, 3 terms in Division No. 3	279 00
Katharine M. Ide, music and drawing	29 70
	$587 70

HIGH SCHOOL TUITIONS

Alicemae Putnam, Meriden, 1 year	$24 00
Ray D. Barton, " "	24 00
Mona E. Prescott, New London, 1 term	7 50
Hazel A. Burke, " "	7 50
Verna E. Burke, " ½ term	3 75
Carlton C. Barton, " 2 terms	16 00
Lillian L. Wright, Newport, 1 year	24 00
Lillian Perkins, " 2 terms	16 00
	$122 75

SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Ginn & Co.	$35 45
Thompson, Brown & Co.	2 50
J. R. Holcomb & Co.	8 90
American Book Co.	44 12
Silver, Burdette & Co.	5 70
Edward E. Babb & Co.	7 45
Annie B. Cutting	1 08
	$105 20

SCHOOL OFFICERS

Fred B. Kibbey, member school board	$12 00
Cora A. Sanborn, "	12 00
Edgar W. Davis, "	12 00
Dana S. Gross, treasurer	5 00
Fred W. Putnam, truant officer	5 00
	$46 00

JANITOR WORK

Leonard G. Holbritter, 2 terms, Division No. 2	$5 50
Donald Barton, 1 term, Division No. 2	2 50
Marian F. Kibbey, 3 terms, Division No. 3	7 50
	$15 50

WOOD

Fred W. Putnam, 3 cords for Division No. 2	$12 00
John Loverin, 5 cords for Division No. 3	18 75
Arthur Reney, sawing wood	1 50
Amos Patten, "	2 50
Fred B. Kibbey, drawing and putting in shed	10 00
	$44 75

REPAIRS

Arthur A. Hayward, building fence and hanging shades	$7 87
Reed & Buswell, lumber for fence, Division No. 2	8 51
Charles C. Barton, repairing steps	50
	$16 88

MISCELLANEOUS

K. C. Prescott, pail and broom	$ 75
George Angell, cleaning closet	3 00
Newell Furniture Co., chair and shades	9 90
Mrs. Adella Hall, cleaning school house, Division 2	5 00
Fred W. Putnam, taking school census	3 00
Edgar W. Davis, express and postage	2 28
Fred B. Kibbey, express, postage and freight	5 81
Cora A. Sanborn, teaching the Rollins children	22 00
Silsby, Johnson & Co., padlock, bolts, etc.	1 85
J. W. Johnson & Son, drinking cups	4 30
	$57 89

RECAPITULATION

Teachers' salaries		$587 70
High school tuition		122 75
School supplies		105 20
School officers		46 00
Janitor work		15 50
Wood		44 75
Repairs		16 88
Miscellaneous		57 89
		$996 67
Total receipts	$1,001 15	
Total disbursements	996 67	
Balance in my hands	$4 48	

DANA S. GROSS, Treasurer.

Auditor's Report

This is to certify that I have this day examined the School Treasurer's report and find it correctly cast and properly vouched. February 20, 1913.

S. W. GILMAN, Auditor.

Report of School Board

The following sums of money will have to be assessed in 1913 for the following purposes:

Tuitions	$150 00
Supplies	50 00

FRED B. KIBBEY,
CORA A. SANBORN,
EDGAR W. DAVIS,
School Board.

NOTE—On page 12, Treasurer's Report, Dog License Fees, should read $61 20 instead of $60 28.—D. S. Gross.

TABULAR STATEMENT *of* SCHOOLS
For *the* year ending July 31, 1912.

Divisions - - - - - -	2	2	2	3	3	3
Terms - - - - - -	1	2	3	1	2	3
Length in weeks - - -	10	10	10	11	10	10
No. pupils registered - - -	12	12	13	22	22	18
Average daily attendance - -	10.	9.	12.	18.	14.	12.
No. visits by School Board - -	2	3	2	3	3	3
No. of visits by parents and others	6	16	29	19	16	24
Wages per month . - - -	$32	$36	$36	$32	$32	$36

FRED B. KIBBEY
CORA A. SANBORN,
EDGAR W. DAVIS,

School Board.

Births

Registered in the town of Croydon, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1912.

Date 1912.	Name of child (if any.)	Sex.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of child.	Color.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color of Parents.	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Fathers age.	Mothers age.
July 3	.....	male ..	Living....	4	White	Lucian Kemp.....	Bessie Green.....	White	Croydon.....	Farmer	Croydon ...	Rutland, Vt.	34	26
July 22	Arnold.....	male ..	Living....	3		John Sherman.....	Mary Kenney.....		"	Farmer	Springfi'd Vt	New Bruns'k	43	36

Marriages

Registered in the town of Croydon, N. H., for the year ending Decembr 31, 1912.

Date 1912.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage	Age in years	Color of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Birthplace of each.	Name of Parents,	Birthplace of Parents,	Occupation,	No. of Mar.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom Married
Dec. 27	Wi'ds'rVt	Elmer B. Putnam.....	Marlboro Ms.	28	White	Grocery Cl'k	Croydon	Otis Putnam	Croydon	Farmer	1	Rev. C.F. .....
		Minnie J. Hayward.....	Croydon	16		At home.....	New York....	Lucia Russell	Springfield ..	Housewife...		Windsor, Vt.
								Arthur Hayward....	New York....	Farmer	1	
								Georgianna Miller..	New York....	Housewife...		

Deaths

Registered in the town of Croydon, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1912.

Date 1912.	Place of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age. Years.	Months	Days.	Place of Birth.	Sex	Color.	Single, Mar. or Widowed	Occupation.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother.
Mar. 5	Croydon	James K. P. Leeds	69	6	19	Bow	M	White	M	Blacksmith	Bow	Bow	Harry Leeds	Abigal Foss
Mar. 23	"	Perry Miner	70	6	2	Lempster	M		M	Tinsmith	Lempster	Lempster	David Miner	Mary Wellman
Mar. 30	"	William B. Kibbey	80	1	13	Newport	M		w	Farmer	Croydon	Croydon	Austin Kibbey	Orrilia Fletcher
Aug. 27	"	Julia H. Angell	65	4	22	Grantham	f		M	Housewife		Grantham	John Hammond	Laura Truell
Dec. 10	Concord	Ada Lois Staniels	61	10	1	Croydon	f		M	Housewife	Croydon	Croydon	Hubbard Cooper	Catherine Bascom

I hereby certify that the foregoing records are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

S. W. GILMAN, Town Clerk.

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